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Alice (“Toots”), Lady **Abbott**, sister of Sam Bulpitt in SM37, wife of Sir Buckstone and mother of Jane. A large, blonde, calm woman, formerly a New York chorus girl from the era when showgirls were tall, stately, and statuesque.

Sir Buckstone **Abbott**, Bart., master of Walsingford Hall, Berks., where he takes in paying guests in SM37. Father of Jane and author of *My Sporting Life*, published at his own expense. Stocky, red-faced, fit; avoids the company of his guests and the topic of money, both embarrassing to him.

Imogen “Jane” **Abbott**, daughter of Sir Buckstone, a small, slim, pretty girl of twenty with fair hair, cornflower-blue eyes, and a boyish jauntiness of carriage. Owner of a Widgeon Seven two-seater, which she maintains herself. Engaged to Adrian Peake in SM37; courted by Joe Vanringham.

Abdullah, the Turk, makes a brief appearance in episode 8 of 08WW.

George **Abercrombie**, suitor of Lord Emsworth’s niece Jane¹⁶ in 36CW; belongs to one of the oldest families in Devonshire, but is opposed by Lady Constance because of his lack of a fortune. Formerly land-agent on an estate in Devonshire; appointed land-agent to the Threepwood estates.

A fellow named **Abercrombie-Smith** is recalled by Major Plank in AA74 for always trying to brazen things out and for being eaten by a crocodile on the Lower Zambesi.

Abney, a Wrykyn boy, is absent at roll call in the Great Hall on the day of the Great Picnic in MK09₁.

Arnold **Abney**, M.A., headmaster of Sanstead House in 13EC and LN13; tall, suave, benevolent, with an Oxford manner, a high forehead, thin white hands, a cooing intonation, and a general air of hushed importance, as of one in constant communication with the Great. In MO71 Bertie Wooster erroneously names him as headmaster of his own school, instead of Aubrey Upjohn (q.v.).

Isadore **Abrahams**, genial, honest founder-proprietor of a dancing resort named The Flower Garden, employer of Sally Nicholas in AS22. Lives at Far Rockaway with wife Rebecca and children David, Jacob, Morris, and Sadie.

The Emperor of **Abyssinia** is how the man George Mulliner meets in 26TA at the Ippleton rail station introduces himself. An escapee from the County Lunatic Asylum, he is a man of imposing physique, simply dressed in orange-and-mauve striped pyjamas, brown boots, and a mackintosh. Devoted to scattering largesse from his top hat and to human sacrifice. See Elmer J. Higginbotham.

The Earl of **Ackleton**: see under Lady Evelyn Walls. [Ackleton is a Shropshire village, seven miles from Bridgnorth.]

Ada¹, member of the party of cyclists who take shelter in the cottage where Jimmy Stewart is hiding in LS08.

Ada², niece of Robert Waller in PC10, has a tiff with her fiancé George Richards regarding women's suffrage.

Adair, captain of cricket and football at Sedleigh and head of Downing's house in MK09₂. Broad shoulders; wiry, light hair, almost white; square jaw; very bright blue eyes; an excellent all-around athlete and natural leader completely devoted to Sedleigh.

J. Sheringham **Adair**: see Chimp Twist; also impersonated by Jeff Miller in MB42. [Can this name be an echo of J. Sherrinford Holmes, Sherlock's name in Conan Doyle's early notes for *A Study in Scarlet*? Conan Doyle's 1924 memoir spelled it as J. Sherringford, just a year before we meet Chimp in SS25.]

Lord **Adamant**, guest at Oldschool Towers in 06TS, hates outdoor sport.

Adams¹ is chosen for the Leicester's house eleven at Beckford in PU03; a better fielder than Burgess and equally good at bat.

Adams², a Wrykyn boy, is absent at roll call in the Great Hall on the day of the Great Picnic in MK09₁; his punishment keeps him in extra lesson on the day of the M.C.C. match.

Adams³ is head steward of the Senior Conservative Club in SN15. Remembers everybody; has earned a substantial reputation as a humorist in his circle by his imitations of certain members of his club.

Adamson of Dawson¹'s house, St. Austin's, abnormally wealthy boy in PH02 who loses £2 in the robbery of the Pavilion.

Dr. **Adamson**, College doctor at St. Austin's in 02WM and 03MC, lives in Stapleton, one mile from school. [There are at least seven Stapletons in the UK, but the village in Shropshire seems the best clue to St. Austin's location.]

Sir Jasper **Addleton**, O.B.E., fat, bald, goggle-eyed financier whom Lord Brangbolton wants his daughter Millicent Shipton-Bellinger to marry in 31SW.

Adela, fiancée of the golf club secretary in 25PR.

Lady **Adela**, alternate name of the ghost of Lady Agatha spoken at one point in RJ53_{CB}; either a mistake by Bill Belfry or a printer's error.

Adelgetha is the maid of Madeleine Molyneux in 07FL.

Adolf, German door-boy at Harrow House in 09OS, tries to blackmail James Datchett.

Bertie Wooster's Aunt **Agatha**: see Agatha Wooster.

The ghost of Lady **Agatha**, wife of Sir Caradoc the Crusader, reportedly visits the ruined chapel at Rowcester/Towcester Abbey in RJ53. Cf. Lady Adela.

Emma Lucille **Agee**, American author of a best-selling dirty novel in GB70.

Aggie: see Niagara Donaldson.

Lt.-Col. B. B. **Agnew**: see Bagnew.

Sir **Agravaire** ye Dolorous of ye Table Round: 5'4", flaccid of muscle, with pale, mild eyes, snub nose, receding chin, and protruding upper teeth. Resembles a nervous rabbit. Goes to aid of Yvonne, daughter of Earl Dorm of the Hills in 12SA. Cf. Roderick the Runt.

Aïda is Mrs. Pett's Pomeranian in PJ17, a fur muff mysteriously endowed with legs and a tongue.

Ainsworth, sacked from St. Austin's sometime before PH02 for smoking on Sir Alfred Venner's land.

Albert¹, a rude boy traveling with his aunty on the train to Yeovil in LC06/LC21.

Albert², a red-headed, twelve-stone fellow who looks like a butcher, leader of the ruffians supporting Pedder's candidacy for mayor of Wrykyn in WF07.

Albert³, page-boy at Belpheer Castle in DD19, variously working behind the scenes for and against George Bevan's wooing, depending on which ticket he holds in the servants' hall sweepstakes. Deep blue eyes with a pensive expression; looks as if he may possess a soul.

Georgiana, Lady **Alcester**, Marchioness of Alcester, one of Lord Emsworth's ten sisters, mother of Gertrude; Freddie Threepwood's aunt in 28CG. Lives on Upper Brook Street, Hyde Park, with four Pekes, two Poms, a Yorkshire terrier, five Sealyhams, a Borzoi, and an Airedale; her long association with the species has made her a sort of honorary dog herself. (In 28CG_{ab} the list concludes with only three Sealyhams and the Borzoi, omitting the Airedale.) Refuses to buy Donaldson's Dog Joy from Freddie until converted in 31GG. Dislikes Gertrude's suitor Beefy Bingham until she discovers he is the heir of a bachelor uncle high up in the shipping business.

Gertrude [**Alcester**], 23, daughter of Lady Alcester above, niece of Lord Emsworth in 28CG. In love with Beefy Bingham, to whom she remains engaged after a brief infatuation with Orlo Watkins in 31GG.

The King of **Aldebaran** discovers the pleasures of work in 03IK.

The **Alderman**: see Charteris.

Mr. **Aldridge**, a master at Wrykyn, referees the house football match between Donaldson¹'s and Seymour's in GB04.

His Majesty King **Alejandro XIII**, exiled King of Paranoya in 14EM, a genial-looking man of middle age, comfortably stout about the middle and a little stout as to the forehead. A Magdalen (or Magdalene in 14EM_a) man; dislikes life in Paranoya, prefers life of an exile in England.

Alexander¹ is awarded his colours for the third fifteen at Wrykyn in GB04.

Alexander², fat female cat belonging to a fat American woman (Mrs. Balderstone Rockmetteller) at the Hotel Jules Prialux in 12MC. Acquired by Captain Bassett as a gift for Marion Henderson. *Cf.* Alexander³.

Alexander³, Persian cat exhibited at the Crystal Palace cat show by Matilda Robinson, who looked on him as a son until he bore six fine kittens. Acquired by Chester Bassett as a gift for Marion Ringwood in 16FK. *Cf.* Alexander².

Alfred¹ is George Stuttlebuck's brother-in-law in 03TE, who explains the Ghost's mistake about which address to haunt.

Alfred², James⁴'s fellow footman at Blandings Castle in SN15, spills the hock within half an inch of Lord Emsworth's arm.

Alfred³, Mrs. Fisher's Airedale in 26KI, a dog of powerful scent.

The Great **Alfredo**: see Alfred Mulliner.

Alice discusses the passing of the Walrus and the Carpenter in 03AV.

Allardye is a member of the committee of the Wrykyn first fifteen in GB04; a cricketer for Wrykyn in 05LP, he succeeds Trevor as captain of football at Wrykyn in WF07.

Lady **Allardye** reports to Lady Constance Keeble (on the authority of her son Vernon) that Hugo Carmody is frequently seen dining and dancing with Sue Brown in FP29.

Alexander **Allbright**, age 6, writes to *Wee Tots* about his tortoise Shelley in 65SS.

Allenby, a prefect in the Science Sixth of Wrykyn in MK09₁, present at the roll call on the day of the Great Picnic.

Miss **Allenby** (PP67): see under Cadwallader².

Lady Jane **Allenby** might be the stout woman with a pearl necklace talking to Lord Marshmoreton at dinner in DD19; George Bevan isn't sure.

Wilfred **Allsop**, pint-size and fragile and rather like the poet Shelley in appearance; composer and piano player; cousin of Veronica Wedge, nephew of Lord Emsworth; in love with Monica Simmons in BG65, which he thinks hopeless until Tipton Plimsoll tells him she loves him. Carelessly drops Tipton's flask of Scotch into the Empress's bran mash. Destined for teaching music at Dame Daphne Winkworth's girls' school; loses that post for drinking and is hired by Tipton's London music publishing firm.

Alphonse, a poodle belonging to Lavender Botts in 48EX, described by Sir George Copstone as a flea storage depot; kicked by Horace Bewstridge.

Alpine Joe is Jeeves's criminal sobriquet for Bertie Wooster when apparently arresting him, in the guise of Scotland Yard Inspector Witherspoon, at Major Plank's in SU63; name prompted by the Alpine hat which Jeeves dislikes.

Ambrose ye monk, author of the ancient manuscript tale of Sir Agravaire, 12SA.

Ambrose, a spaniel formerly at Brinkley Court, remembered by Aunt Dahlia and Angela² in RH34 for overeating to the danger of his health.

Amy¹, fictitious deceased fiancée invented by Jack Wilton in 15WH so as to have an excuse not to listen to his friends' sob stories.

Amy², large mixed-breed watchdog at Mon Repos in SS25, had a bloodhound-Airedale father and a Great Dane-Labrador mother. Named by Hash Todhunter after his deceased aunt.

Monsieur **Anatole**, Dahlia Travers's superlative French cook in 29SA, RH34, CW38, JF54, HR60, SU63, MO71, and AA74, suffers from bouts of *mal au foie*. A tubby little Provençal with a soup-strainer moustache, he cooks for Bingo & Mrs. Little in 25CR, in which he is hired away by Aunt Dahlia with Jeeves's help. Prior to his tenure with the Littles, he was with an American family for two years in Nice, where he learned his first English from their chauffeur, a Maloney (RH34) from Brooklyn. Excitable, romantic, easily offended, but a superb master of the roasts and hashes, at his incomparable best in the pheasant season; the only cook who can please Uncle Tom Travers's sensitive digestion, though his rich sauces cause dyspepsia for L. G.

Trotter in JF54. [Norman Murphy found his literary antecedent in Barry Pain's *The Confessions of Alphonse*.]

"Blinky" **Anderson** is Freddie Bingham's (or Lord Freddie Bowen's) employer at the East Side Delmonico's in 13JW.

J. G. **Anderson**, owner of the Hotel Washington in Bessemer, Ohio, and the Lakeside Inn near Skeewassett, Maine; sometime employer of Barmy Fotheringay-Phipps in BW52.

Angela, daughter of the Earl of Biddlecombe in 27CD: see under Biddlecombe.

Angela¹, a pretty girl with fair hair and blue eyes, is Lord Emsworth's twenty-one-year-old niece who

breaks her engagement to Lord Heacham and wants to marry James Belford in 27PH. She is the daughter of a deceased Lady Jane Threepwood, one of Lord Emsworth's ten sisters, and may be the sister of Wilfred Allsop, though her surname is nowhere given. Not to be confused with Angela², Aunt Dahlia's daughter.

Angela², Dahlia Wooster Travers's daughter, Bertie Wooster's cousin: her surname is never given, but see Angela Travers.

Angelo is a member of Bat Jarvis's gang in PH31.

Animalcula, Queen of the High Wire at Astley's Circus in 14HP, recipient of ardent letters from the late Lord Evenwood.

Jeeves's Aunt **Annie** (RH34) was so strongly disliked by the other members of his family that all domestic disagreements were healed when she came to visit.

Mr. **Anstruther**, a rather moth-eaten septuagenarian, old friend of Aunt Dahlia's father; prone to nervousness, offers a good conduct prize of £5 in an attempt to secure peace and quiet at Brinkley Court while Thos Gregson and Bonzo Travers are there. Becomes the wettest man in Worcestershire in 29JL when hit by a bucket of water thrown by Aunt Agatha's loathly son Thos.

Harold "Beefy" **Anstruther**, in love with Hilda Gudgeon in MS49, was Bertie Wooster's partner at Rackets for Oxford.



Monsieur Anatole